

EXPORTS MAKE LOW RECORD IN NOVEMBER

Imports During Month Show Best Figure in Six Months.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Exports during November were the lowest for any month this year while imports were higher than at any time during the past six months, according to monthly foreign trade reports issued today by the Commerce Department.

During November exports totaled \$255,500,000, as compared with \$343,000,000 in October and \$676,000,000 in November 1920, while imports aggregated \$211,300,000, as compared with \$188,000,000 in October and \$321,000,000 in November a year ago.

During the eleven months ended with November, exports aggregated \$4,191,696,000, as against \$7,508,000,000 during the corresponding months of 1920, and imports totaled \$2,272,000,000, against \$2,012,000,000 during the same months last year.

Exports during November totaled \$255,500,000, compared with \$260,000,000 in November a year ago while imports of gold aggregated \$22,000,000, against \$57,000,000 in November 1920.

For the eleven months of this year gold exports totaled \$650,000,000, against \$172,000,000 for the same period in 1920, while silver exports aggregated \$22,000,000, compared with \$305,000,000 during the first eleven months of 1920.

Silver exports during November aggregated \$5,000,000, against \$3,000,000 during the same month last year, while imports of silver for the month amounted to \$6,000,000, compared with \$5,000,000 in November a year ago.

Exports of silver for the eleven months ended with November aggregated \$1,100,000,000, as against \$1,075,000,000 during the corresponding months of 1920, while silver imports for the period amounted to \$48,000,000, during the eleven months with November 1920.

BRINGING UP FATHER



"OPPORTUNITIES" FUND OVER HALF-WAY MARK

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Children who have been left stranded in the big world, the sick and aged who sink farther and farther into the depths of despair and the loving penniless families who will be torn from their families if this appeal on their behalf fails—are among the "opportunities."

It probably is no fault of the "Ten Opportunities" that the sun of prosperity does not shine upon them. They belong to that group of unfortunate who just haven't been able to make much of a fight of it. Adversity has become their portion. Their future depends in great measure upon the willingness of their fellow-men to help others in distress. What they need is a chance in life. Given this, they soon will be on the highroad to independence, and, instead of being a charge upon the community, they will become citizens who will add to the sum total of prosperity.

Of course, this would not apply to the very need. This appeal is that the last days of their life be made as easy as it is possible for generous friends to make them.

Two Go Over the Top.
Two of the "opportunities," Nos. 5 and 8, have "gone over the top" and the others still lack a good deal of reaching the goal. It is for them that the Times-Dispatch is now appealing. Christmas is not two weeks off and it is hoped that within the next few days it may be announced to the unfortunate people of the "opportunities" that this will be a merry Yuletide—one in which there will be real joy without the specter of want and poverty.

More than half of the \$427,600 requested for the ten destitute families has been subscribed. A total of \$22,115 has been sent to The Times-Dispatch, leaving just a little over \$2,000 to be raised. The sum of \$22,115 came in yesterday.

Will you contribute to the Christmas fund of the "Ten Opportunities?" Contributions yesterday were as follows:

Opportunity No. 1.	
Amount requested, \$100.	
H. M. W.	1.00
Mrs. Grace H. Smithhead	1.00
From a Friend	2.50
Bank of the Church Hill	12.00
W. T. Smith	1.00
W. B. Young	5.00
Total	\$43.50
Amount still needed, \$56.50.	
Amount requested, \$370.	
From a Friend	5.00
From a Friend	1.00
H. M. W.	1.00
Mrs. Grace H. Smithhead	1.00
H. G. L.	2.00
From the Ladies Bible Class of Westminster Presbyterian Church	5.00
John A. Moore	10.00
Hallie H. Roller	5.00
Ellie H. Harris	2.00
W. T. Smith	2.00
M. T. P.	2.00
M. T. P.	2.00
Roy Cross	2.00
Total	\$54.00
Previously acknowledged	\$27.10
Total to date	\$81.10
Amount still needed, \$45.50.	
Opportunity No. 10.	
Amount requested, \$600.	
H. M. W.	1.00
Mrs. Grace H. Smithhead	1.00
From a Friend	2.50
From a Friend	1.00
Mrs. D. S. P.	5.00
W. T. Smith	1.00
Total	\$16.50
Previously acknowledged	\$118.50
Total to date	\$135.00
Amount still needed, \$465.	

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(d) It is agreed that the treaties between the United States and Japan now in force shall apply to the mandated islands. (It is agreed that any modifications in the mandate are to be subject to the consent of the United States, and, further, that Japan will address to the United States a duplicate report on the administration of the mandate.)

Treaty Is in Final Form.
Final instructions to the Japanese delegates to accept the latest American proposal for a settlement are understood to have been received from Tokyo Foreign Office last night. The treaty is virtually in final form, but no date for its signature has been fixed. The following statement of the "points of agreement" is to be included in the final form of the treaty.

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